

Remarks

The application has been amended to insert reference to earlier U.S. applications that serve as priority documents for this divisional application.

Applicants added the substituent "OCF₃" in the definition of R(20) in claim 1. Support for this amendment appears, for example, in original dependent claim 2, which recites OCF₃ as a possible substituent in R(20).


Applicants also added new claims 20-26. New claims 20-25 recite that variables R(30) and R(31) in formula I are both hydrogen. Support for that amendment appears throughout the specification in a large number of examples, for instance in compounds of Examples 1a through 1k. Claims 20-25 do not contain the substituent OCF₃ in the definitions of substituents R(14), R(16), R(17) and R(20). Lastly, support for new claim 26 appears in the specification at page 2, lines 24-30.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this Preliminary Amendment and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

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